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In Application of:

STEVEN E. KOENCK

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For: BATTERY PACK HAVING
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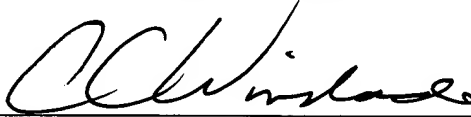
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RESPONSE

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 19, 1998, please amend the above-
identified application as follows:

In the claims:

Please amend claim 1 as follows:

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1. (Amended) A battery powered electronic system comprising:

- (a) a portable battery powered utilization device for operating from battery power during portable operation thereof, said utilization device having a first plurality of conductors; and
- (b) a removable battery pack having memory and a second plurality of conductors, said utilization device adapted to receive said removable battery pack in an assembled relationship wherein the first and second plurality of conductors contact to provide at least power and

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